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DARDANELLE CAMPAIGN STILL ON

Allies Commence New Offensive Against the Ottoman Empire, According to Report From Constantinople

Rotterdam, Nov. 22.—A tremendous offensive in the Dardanelles has been undertaken by the allies, according to a Constantinople dispatch today.

This move is regarded as Lord Kitchener's negative answer to suggestions that the Dardanelles struggle be abandoned by the allies. The London war council decided not to act on these suggestions until Kitchener had personally visited that region, and this big move is believed to indicate Kitchener's decision.

Two British aviators successfully attacked the Ferik railroad station. A Turk shot brought one of them down. Seeing his companion's peril, the other birdman swooped to earth, rescued the luckless friend, and soared back safely again to the British lines.

This assault indicated the truth of Constantinople dispatches telling of a tremendous new offensive in that region.

PORTLAND SUFFERS MUCH DAMAGE IN SUNDAY'S STORM

Portland, Nov. 22.—Damage done by the southwest gale Sunday was being repaired today. The wind blew 24 miles an hour in Portland. The right field fence at the Coast league ball park was blown down, and several small buildings around town demolished.

Astoria experienced the severest blow of the season. A portion of the roof of the municipal wharf passenger shed was torn off. The Peruvian barkentine Judith broke her moorings and drifted into Pier No. 1, but did no damage.

At Hammond, the waves, whipped by the gale, cut into the sand shore to a depth of 30 feet, almost reaching houses along the beach.

Barview reported that the seas were again menacing the buildings endangered by the high tides a couple of weeks ago.

NOVIBAZAR HAS BEEN TAKEN FROM SERB DEFENDERS

(By United Press Leased Wire.)

Vienna, Nov. 22.—Novibazar, on the edge of Serbia, near the Montegrin line, is in the hands of the Austro-Hungarians. Despite bitter winter weather, the invaders succeeded in battering their way into the town.

They have forced, too, a passage of the upper Drina.

Montenegrins are giving battle, but against tremendous odds. More than 2,000 additional prisoners have been taken by the Austrians. East of Novibazar the enemy was repulsed in the Ibar valley.

The Plain of the Black Birds—Kosovo—scene of historic battles, is again the site of bloody battling.

ATTACK OREGON'S SUNDAY CLOSING LAW IN COURTS

Portland, Nov. 22.—That Oregon's ancient Sunday closing law conflicts with the national and state constitutions because it is discriminatory was contended in federal court here today by Attorney W. T. Hume, representing the Brunswick-Balke-Collender company, which is seeking a permanent injunction restraining the peace officers of 25 Oregon counties from enforcing it.

The arguments were being heard by Judge Wolverton of Portland, Judge Cushman of Tacoma and Judge Gilbert of San Francisco. Three judges are necessary because the constitutionality of a law is in question.

Attorney Hume declared that the law was discriminatory in that it allowed certain businesses to remain open on Sunday, but compelled others, just as legitimate, to close.

BRITISH SEARCH AMERICAN SHIP IN THREE-MILE LIMIT

(By United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, Nov. 22.—Reports establishing the search by a British cruiser of the American steamer Zealandia within the three-mile limit off Progresso, Mexico, recently, will be made the basis of representations to England, the state department revealed today.

The state department will investigate the situation further when the Zealandia reaches New York. Consul Germon at Progresso reported that the ship papers were with him when the British boarded her. Such holding of the papers is regular, though the British seek to justify the search by the fact that the Zealandia did not have the papers at the time.

The consul, the commander of the battleship Kentucky and the Mexican authorities all agree that the Zealandia was only two and two-thirds miles from shore, thus placing her within the neutral zone, where she would be supposed to be free from such search.

STUDENTS AT STATE U. CELEBRATE THE VICTORY OVER O.A.C.

Eugene, Nov. 22.—Lightning-like and spontaneous, Oregon spirit soared up this morning when 500 University of Oregon students, innocently forgetful of classes and worry that are, rallied and serpentine behind the football team which defeated O. A. C. 9 to 0, Saturday, as it was drawn through the streets of Eugene in a rally by 30 green-capped freshmen. Behind the human-propelled, lemon-yellow vehicle the students marched four abreast, with the college women in the center.

A cry went up for a rally, and rally the students did. The new armory was opened and the students squatted down on the dance floor and listened to Trainer Bill Hayward and the football heroes recite Saturday's experience.

GOV-ELECT McCALL TO GO TO FRISCO TONIGHT

Portland, Nov. 22.—Samuel W. McCall, governor-elect of Massachusetts, will arrive in Portland tonight from the ranch of his son at Princeton, where he has been resting for several days. He will be the guest of the Press club at an informal reception from six to seven o'clock tonight, and will leave for San Francisco at 8 o'clock.

AUSTRIANS FORCED TO RETREAT

Italian Troops Win Notable Victories in the Goritz Region, and Make Many of Enemy Prisoners of War

Rome, Nov. 22.—Leaving their trenches full of dead, Austrians fled before impetuous Italian attacks in the Goritz region at Osclavia and thereabouts, the war office reported today. The Italian success was hailed as "important."

The action started Saturday night. All night flashes of flame marked the outpourings of the Italian artillery as they ripped great breaches in the Austrian entanglements. At dawn on the Sabbath the Italian infantry swung into the battle, attacking the city and heights around. Austrians resisted obstinately. Finally, however, they were compelled to retire. Nearly 500 prisoners, many of them officers, fell into Italian hands.

The war office told of Austrian attacks in which the soldiers cried "Savoy," the Italian cheer, to deceive the Italians. Two additional lines of trenches south of Osclavia were captured by the Italians, while on the Carso plateau the Italians registered new successes in the Monte San Michele and San Martino sectors. Air raids continue active.

GENERAL OBREGON CONFERS WITH AMERICAN MINE OWNERS IN MEXICO

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
Douglas, Ariz., Nov. 22.—General Obregon, commanding the Carranzistas fighting General Villa for the mastery of Sonora, arrived here this afternoon by automobile from Naco to confer with American mine owners and reach an agreement for protection of American mining properties.

After telegraphing the results of the conference to Carranza, Obregon expects to return to the front and join his troops advancing on Nogales.

Nogales is protected by a handful of Villa soldiers, and its fall is believed inevitable. The United States

ATTEMPT ON LIFE OF J. D. ARCHBOLD

Discover Plot to Kill President of the Standard Oil Company at Tarrytown, New York, by a Bomb

Tarrytown, N. Y., Nov. 22.—Tarrytown today is an armed camp as a result of discovery of a cleverly planned bomb plot to end the life of President John D. Archbold, of the Standard Oil company.

Around the Archbold estate particularly extra lines of guards have been thrown. All are armed with shotguns and revolvers, with orders to hold on sight any suspicious character. Authorities are still reticent about discussing the plot. However, it is known that the bomb, consisting of four sticks of dynamite, with the wires and percussion caps, was hidden in the roadway Archbold would use in going to his yacht. It was found, however, before he left his estate. Otherwise, it is believed his death would have been inevitable. Meantime, the police are hunting a mysterious stranger, who is reported to have been seen lurking in the shadows of the Archbold estate a few nights ago.

They are convinced that the man who laid the bomb had studied Archbold's habits and knew that he invariably took the road on which the bomb was found.

GERMAN OFFICERS WILL LEAD TURK TROOPS IN EAST

Berlin, Nov. 22.—Wild enthusiasm greeted unofficial news today that the first German forces have reached Constantinople, the goal of their Balkan campaign.

It is believed here that they traveled over the Orient railway, and while probably they had not yet arrived in vast numbers, it is no secret that the general staff plans to send many German officers to lead the Turks under Field Marshal von Mackensen.

ITALY AIDS ALLIES IN BALKAN NEGOTIATIONS

Rome, Nov. 22.—The Italian minister at Athens is known to be co-operating with the allies in their negotiations concerning the Balkan situation. This fact disposed of rumors that Italy is not backing the other entente powers.

ITALIANS SLOWLY ADVANCING WITH DESPERATE ATTACKS

Zurich, Switzerland, Nov. 22.—With bayonets, and even knives, a hand-to-hand struggle for possession of the Dobardo plateau is being fought between Italian and Austrian troops.

Grenade attacks marked the beginning of the Italian onslaught, which now centers at the Goritz bridgehead. Determined to capture the town, the Italians are deluging the Austrians with shells of many calibers. Many of the defenses of the city have crumbled.

Italian infantry attacks occur daily. Sometimes several of these are staged in a single day despite terrible losses. The Italians advance a few yards at a time. Then they throw up sandbag defenses, firing meantime at the Austrians, while the Italian artillery, shooting overhead, clears the way for fresh charges.

Losses on both sides are enormous. Many soldiers have fallen exhausted.

FORMER N.Y. GERMAN CONSUL-GENERAL IS PLACED ON TRIAL

New York, Nov. 22.—Karl Buenz, former German consul-general at New York, and officials of the Hamburg-American line went on trial before Judge Howe today, charged with conspiring to supply German commerce raiders in the north and south Atlantic.

Meanwhile, within a fortnight, the government expects to indict at least six ringleaders of bomb and munition plots, probably including several women. Several Teuton representatives, bankers, business men and a horde of petty agents, will be involved, federal authorities said.

Forty million dollars, it is claimed, were at the disposal of the leaders to stop munition shipments to the allies.

In the Hamburg-American case, a manifest found in the belly of a shark after being dropped overboard by a German raider will be used, it is said, to prove part of the government case.

CARRANZA TO MEET GOVERNOR OF TEXAS

Laredo, Texas, Nov. 22.—Chief Executive Carranza of Mexico will meet Governor Ferguson of Texas tomorrow at the international bridge here to discuss the recent border raids and seek a means of co-operation between Texan and Mexican authorities to end them.

GREECE MUST SOON MAKE CHOICE

Stated at Washington That Constantine Will Demand That His Army Be Reinforced by 500,000 Allies

Washington, Nov. 22.—Reinforcement of the Greek army with 500,000 Anglo-French troops, or an arrangement with Roumania for joint Greek-Roumanian invasion of Bulgaria, are Greece's terms for joining the allies, according to a source very close to the Greek legation today. This source said Greece will be forced to choose between the allies and the Teutons within a few days.

Paris, Nov. 26.—The outcome of the Greek crisis was today as doubtful as ever.

How far the allies have gone or will go with their "commercial and economic blockade" against Greece had not been made public officially. Unofficial news that allied warships are searching Greek merchantmen is an unexpected development, which is taken to mean that a literal blockade, not a mere "paper" blockade, has been established.

Reports that Greece has decided to remain neutral are unconfirmed. These stories said that while Serbian refugees would be disarmed, the allies would not be interned if they fled across the Greek border, though they would be forced to quit the country.

Such a course probably would not meet with allied approval, however, for the removal of allied forces fleeing from Serbia would relieve Germany of the need of having strong forces in Serbia.

How Greece will act, however, will probably be divulged shortly, for a cabinet session was held yesterday to discuss the whole situation.

Meantime the position of the Serbians grows hourly more tragic. Kosovo—the Plain of the Black Birds—is the scene of a big battle, while in the Mopastir region another conflict is raging. The allies are reported to have sent heavy reinforcements to the latter section, but the reports are shrouded in mystery.

Moreover, it is feared these new groups come too late.

While the Greek situation is critical, the Serbs, utterly demoralized, are making their way over snowy trails—flecked with blood from their torn feet. With them are their women folk. Some are reported already to have passed over the Greek border, while others have sought refuge to the westward of their own land.

ITALIAN ATTACKS AT GORITZ STILL BEING REPULSED

Berlin, via Wireless to Tuckerton, Nov. 22.—Reinforcing Goritz with Tyrol troops, the Austrians have delivered strong counter-attacks under which enemy assaults broke down, according to a Vienna dispatch this afternoon. Counter-attacks to dislodge the Italians from Osclavia continue.

Vienna, Nov. 22.—Attacks on the Goritz bridgehead and elsewhere on the Isonzo have been repulsed, official announcement declared today. Only near San Martino did the Italians have any success. There they regained a trench. Small forces of Italians who crossed the Isonzo north of Goritz were driven back.